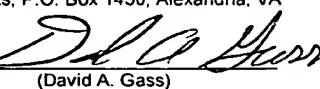




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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is being filed in response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Listing mailed March 13, 2006. This response is timely filed.

There are no amendments to the specification or claims in this paper.

Amendments to the Sequence Listing begin on page 2 of this paper.

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